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NEURONAL NICOTINIC RECEPTOR ANTAGONISTS

Art Unit : 1617

Examiner : Shaojia JAING, PhD

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.115

Sir:

Please amend Claim 1 in accord with the attached listing of claims.

R E M A R K S

Applicants have added the treatment of irritable bowel syndrome to Claim 1. Support for this amendment can be found on specification pages 10 and 21.

Entry of this amendment and early and favorable action on the merits of this application are respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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